REMARKS

The present Preliminary Amendment is submitted to delete the multiple dependencies of claims 2-3, 5-6 and 23; to change the phrase "a warning" to --an alarm—in the line 2 of claim 31; and to add new claims 36-40, thereby placing such claims in condition for examination and reducing the required PTO filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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